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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the application of:

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Serial No.: 09/820,789

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For: METHOD FOR PROTECTION OF  
CONTACTLESS SIGNAL  
TRANSMISSION FROM A  
TRANSMITTER TO A RECEIVER,  
AND A SIGNAL TRANSMISSION  
DEVICE

Examiner: Not yet assigned

Group Art Unit: 2182

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), for a three-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Notice to File Missing Parts dated May 8, 2001. This petition will extend the period for response to October 8, 2001.

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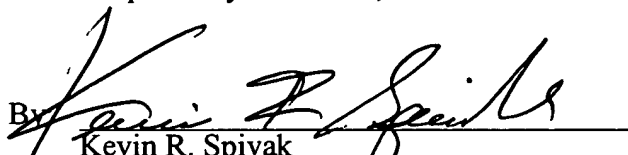
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Respectfully submitted,

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